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SUBJECT: OBASANJO VISIT

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1. CHARGE' INFORMED AMERICAS DEPARTMENT DIRECTOR MUSA AUGUST 18 OF SUBSTANCE REFTEL A. MUSA TELEPHONED LATER IN DAY TO SAY THAT OBASANJO HAS DECIDED HE WILL FLY DIRECTLY TO WASHINGTON, ARRIVING LATE AFTERNOON OR EARLY EVENING OF OCTOBER 10. HE WOULD THEN SPEND OCTOBER 11 AND 12 IN WASHINGTON, FLYING TO NEW YORK MORNING OF OCTOBER 13. HE PLANS REMAIN IN NEW YORK OCTOBER 13 AND 14, RETURNING TO LAGOS OCTOBER 15.

2. EMBASSY WILL AWAIT RECEIPT OF PROPOSED PRESS ANNOUNCEMENT (REFTEL B), PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES IN WASHINGTON (REFTELS B AND C), AND ANY SUGGESTIONS FOR NEW YORK CITY EVENTS IN ADDITION THOSE MENTIONED IN REFTEL B.

3. EMBASSY REQUESTS THAT DEPARTMENT TAKE NO ACTION RE NEW YORK SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS FOR OBASANJO AND GARBA (REFTEL D) WUNTIL WE ADVISE EARLY NEXT WEEK AFTER CONSULTATION WITH AMBASSADOR EASUM.
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